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Michael and Tyler: I didn't mean to send you all that email. I did include a word version of the draft Bears Ears charter so you could see the SOL comments which did not make the final charter. I developed the charter after reviewing the Bishop legislation, conferring with Jenna Whitlock, BLM Utah and others and also using "membership labels" used in other monument committee charters to make them consistent. This is obviously your call.  
The Bears Ears documents were all together in the same package. It is this same package you will want to assemble again for both Bears Ears and Grand Staircase. I let Cally Younger know we were all working together on this effort and she was pleased; she added that "we were hoping to have one advisory council for Bears Ears and one advisory council for Grand Staircase." She had not seen the proclamations which I said could help us. Ah well.

Don't hesitate to call - Twinkle

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From: **Seitts, Phyllis** <[pseitts@blm.gov](mailto:pseitts@blm.gov)>  
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**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

**AND**

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE**

**STATE OF UTAH  
BEARS EARS NATIONAL MONUMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**CHARTER**

- 1. OFFICIAL DESIGNATION:** Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee (Committee).
- 2. AUTHORITY:** This Committee is established pursuant to the Presidential Proclamation, "Establishment of the Bears Ears National Monument (Monument)," (December 28, 2016), and is consistent with Section 309 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA), as amended, (43 U.S.C. 1739); the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. 1600); Section 14 of the National Forest Management Act of 1976 (16 U.S.C. 472a); the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131); and all other applicable provisions of law. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is subject to standards and procedures for the creation, operation, and termination of BLM resource advisory councils. Refer to the 1995 amended BLM regulations (43 CFR 1784) for specific regulations regarding: avoidance of conflict of interest (1784.2 2); calls for nominations (1784.4 1); notice of meetings (1784.4 2); open meetings (1784.4 3); records (1784.5 3); and course of instruction for members (1784.6 1(f)). The Committee is regulated by the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended, 5 U.S.C. Appendix 2.
- 3. OBJECTIVES AND SCOPE OF ACTIVITIES:** The Committee will provide information and advice regarding the development of the management plan and, as appropriate, management of the Monument to the Secretary of the Interior, through the Director of BLM, and the Secretary of Agriculture through the Chief of the U.S. Forest Service (FS), as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument.
- 4. DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES:** Committee duties and responsibilities are solely advisory in nature. The Committee will provide information and advice regarding the development of the Monument's management plan, and as appropriate, management of the Monument as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument.
- 5. OFFICIAL TO WHOM THE COMMITTEE REPORTS:** The Committee reports to the Secretary of the Interior, through the Director of BLM, and the Secretary of Agriculture, through the Chief of the FS.

- 6. SUPPORT:** Administrative support and funding for activities of the Committee will be provided by the office of the Designated Federal Officer (DFO).
- 7. ESTIMATED ANNUAL OPERATING COSTS AND STAFF YEARS:** The annual operating costs associated with supporting the Committee's activities are estimated to be \$50,000, including all direct and indirect expenses and 0.30 Federal staff years support.
- 8. DESIGNATED FEDERAL OFFICER:** The DFO is the BLM's Canyon Country District Manager, who is a full time Federal employee appointed in accordance with Agency procedures. The DFO will approve or call all Committee and subcommittee meetings, prepare and approve all meeting agendas, attend all Committee and subcommittee meetings, adjourn any meeting when the DFO determines adjournment to be in the public interest, and chair meetings when directed to do so by the Secretary.
- 9. ESTIMATED NUMBER AND FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS:** The Committee will meet approximately two to four times annually, and at such other times as designated by the DFO.
- 10. DURATION:** Continuing.
- 11. TERMINATION:** The Committee will become inactive 2 years from the date the Charter is filed, unless, prior to that date, the Charter is renewed in accordance with Section 14 of the FACA. The Committee will not meet or take any action without a valid current charter.
- 12. MEMBERSHIP AND DESIGNATION:** The Committee shall include 12 members to be appointed by the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture, as follows:
  - 1) An elected official from San Juan County;
  - 2) A representative of state government;
  - 3) A representative with paleontological expertise;
  - 4) A representative with archaeological or historic expertise;
  - 5) A representative of the environmental community;
  - 6) A representative of livestock grazing permittees within the Monument;
  - 7) A representative of tribal interests;
  - 8) Two representatives of developed outdoor recreation, off highway vehicle users, or commercial recreation activities;
  - 10) A representative of private landowners;
  - 11) A representative of local business owners; and,
  - 12) One representative of the Public at Large.

Members will be appointed to staggered 3 year terms. All members serve at the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture.

Members may be appointed as representative members or special Government employees. Members appointed as special Government employees are required to complete ethics training and file a confidential financial disclosure report on an annual basis.

- 13. ETHICS RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS:** No Committee or subcommittee member will participate in any specific party matter including a lease, license, permit, contract, claim, agreement, or related litigation with the Departments of the Interior or Agriculture in which the member has a direct financial interest. Members of the Committee shall be required to disclose to the DFO their direct or indirect interest in leases, licenses, permits, contracts, claims, grants, or any specific party matter that involve lands or resources administered by BLM or FS, or any litigation related to those matters.

For the purposes of this paragraph, indirect interest includes holdings of a spouse, minor child, immediate family member, relatives, business partners, or employers that would benefit financially from the Committee's recommendations. The DFO must report any required disclosures under this paragraph to the BLM Deputy Ethics Counselor, who will coordinate with the Departments of the Interior or Agriculture Ethics Office as appropriate.

The Department of the Interior will provide materials to those members appointed as special Government employees, explaining their ethical obligations with which the members should be familiar. Consistent with the ethics requirements, members will endeavor to avoid any actions that would cause the public to question the integrity of the Committee's operations, activities, or advice. The provisions of this paragraph do not affect any other statutory or regulatory ethical obligations to which a member may be subject.

- 14. SUBCOMMITTEES:** Subject to the DFO's approval, subcommittees may be formed for the purposes of compiling information or conducting research. However, such subcommittees must act only under the direction of the DFO and must report their recommendations to the full Committee for consideration. Subcommittees must not provide advice or work products directly to the Agency. Subcommittees will meet as necessary to accomplish their assignments, subject to the approval of the DFO and the availability of resources.
- 15. RECORDKEEPING:** The records of the Committee, and formally and informally established subcommittees of the Committee, shall be handled in accordance with General Record Schedule 6.2, and other approved Agency records disposition schedule. These records shall be available for public inspection and copying, subject to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

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Secretary of the Interior

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

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**Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee Establishment; Call for  
Nominations, Utah**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) gives notice that the Secretary of the Interior is establishing the Bears Ears National Monument (Monument) Advisory Committee (Committee). This notice also solicits nominations for members of the public to sit on the Committee. The Committee will provide information and advice regarding the development of the Monument's management plan and, as appropriate, management of the Monument to the Secretary of the Interior, through the Director of BLM, and the Secretary of Agriculture, through the Chief of the U.S. Forest Service, as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument.

**DATES:** All nominations must be received by [INSERT DATE 45 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

**ADDRESS:** Nominations should be submitted to Lance Porter, BLM Canyon Country District Manager, 82 Dogwood Avenue, Moab, Utah 84532, Attention: Bears Ears Nominations.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lance Porter, BLM Canyon Country

District Manager, 435 259 2100. Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service at 1 800 877 8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The Service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA; 43 U.S.C. §§ 1701 *et seq.*), directs the Secretary of the Interior to involve the public in planning and issues related to management of lands administered by the BLM. The rules governing BLM Advisory Committees are found at 43 CFR subpart 1784. As required by the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Advisory Committee membership must be balanced and representative of the various interests concerned with the management of the public lands. [The Committee will be composed of 12 members: 1 elected official from San Juan County; 1 member representing State government; 1 member with paleontological expertise; 1 member with archaeological and historic expertise; 1 member representing the environmental community; 1 member representing the livestock grazing permittees within the Monument; 1 public at large member; 1 member representing tribal interests; 2 members representing developed outdoor recreation, off highway vehicle users, or commercial recreation activities; 1 member representing local business owners; and 1 member representing private landowners. Individuals may nominate themselves or others. [The BLM will evaluate nominees based on their education, training, experience, and/or knowledge of the geographic area of the Monument.

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Nominees should demonstrate a commitment to collaborative resource decision making.

The following must accompany all nominations:

- Letters of reference from represented interests or organizations
- A completed background information nomination form; and
- Any other information that addresses the nominee's qualifications.

Simultaneous with this notice, the BLM Canyon Country District Office will issue a press release providing additional information for submitting nominations, with the specifics about the number and categories of member positions available.

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**CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:** In accordance with the Presidential Proclamation, I certify that the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the Secretary's responsibilities to manage the lands,

resources and facilities administered by the BLM.

(Authority: 43 CFR 1784.4 1)

Sally Jewell  
Secretary of the Interior

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**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

**AND**

**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE**

**BEARS EARS NATIONAL MONUMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (UTAH)**

**CHARTER**

- 1. OFFICIAL DESIGNATION:** Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee (Committee).
- 2. AUTHORITY:** This Committee is established pursuant to the Presidential Proclamation, "Establishment of the Bears Ears National Monument (Monument)," (December 28, 2016), and is consistent with Section 309 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA), as amended, (43 U.S.C. 1739); the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. 1600); Section 14 of the National Forest Management Act of 1976 (16 U.S.C. 472a); the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131); and all other applicable provisions of law. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is subject to standards and procedures for the creation, operation, and termination of BLM advisory committees. Refer to the 1995 amended BLM regulations (43 CFR 1784) for specific regulations regarding: avoidance of conflict of interest (1784.2-2); calls for nominations (1784.4-1); notice of meetings (1784.4-2); open meetings (1784.4-3); and records (1784.5-3). The Committee is regulated by the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended, 5 U.S.C. Appendix 2.
- 3. OBJECTIVES AND SCOPE OF ACTIVITIES:** The Committee will provide information and advice regarding the development of the management plan and, as appropriate, management of the Monument to the Secretary of the Interior, through the Director of BLM, and the Secretary of Agriculture, through the Chief of the U.S. Forest Service (FS), as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument.
- 4. DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES:** Committee duties and responsibilities are solely advisory. The Committee will provide information and advice regarding the development of the Monument's management plan, and as appropriate, management of the Monument as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument.
- 5. OFFICIAL TO WHOM THE COMMITTEE REPORTS:** The Committee reports to the Secretary of the Interior, through the Director of BLM, and the Secretary of Agriculture, through the Chief of FS.

6. **SUPPORT:** Administrative support and funding for activities of the Committee will be provided by BLM through the office of the Designated Federal Officer (DFO).
7. **ESTIMATED ANNUAL OPERATING COSTS AND STAFF YEARS:** The annual operating costs associated with supporting the Committee's activities are estimated to be \$50,000, including all direct and indirect expenses and 0.30 Federal staff years support.
8. **DESIGNATED FEDERAL OFFICER:** The DFO is BLM's Canyon Country District Manager, who is a full-time Federal employee appointed in accordance with Agency procedures. The DFO will approve or call all Committee and subcommittee meetings, prepare and approve all meeting agendas, attend all Committee and subcommittee meetings, adjourn any meeting when the DFO determines adjournment to be in the public interest, and chair meetings when directed to do so by the Secretary.
9. **ESTIMATED NUMBER AND FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS:** The Committee will meet approximately two to four times annually, and at such other times as designated by the DFO.
10. **DURATION:** Continuing.
11. **TERMINATION:** The Committee will terminate on December 28, 2018, unless, prior to that date, it is extended by the President. However, the Charter will expire two years from the date the Charter is filed, unless it is renewed in accordance with Section 14 of the FACA. The Committee will not meet or take any action without a valid current charter.
12. **MEMBERSHIP AND DESIGNATION:** The Committee shall include 12 members to be appointed by the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture, as follows:
  - 1) An elected official from San Juan County;
  - 2) A representative of State government;
  - 3) A representative with paleontological expertise;
  - 4) A representative with archaeological or historic expertise;
  - 5) A representative of the environmental community;
  - 6) A representative of livestock grazing permittees within the Monument;
  - 7) A representative of tribal interests;
  - 8) Two representatives of developed outdoor recreation, off-highway vehicle users, or commercial recreation activities;
  - 9) A representative of private landowners;
  - 10) A representative of local business owners; and
  - 11) A representative of the public-at-large.

Members will be appointed to staggered 3-year terms. All members serve at the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture.

Members may be appointed as representative members or special Government employees. Members appointed as special Government employees are required to complete ethics training and file a confidential financial disclosure report on an annual basis.

- 13. ETHICS RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS:** No Committee or subcommittee member will participate in any specific party matter including a lease, license, permit, contract, claim, agreement, or related litigation with the Departments of the Interior or Agriculture in which the member has a direct financial interest. Members of the Committee shall be required to disclose to the DFO their direct or indirect interest in leases, licenses, permits, contracts, claims, grants, or any specific party matter that involve lands or resources administered by BLM or FS, or any litigation related to those matters.

For the purposes of this paragraph, indirect interest includes holdings of a spouse, minor child, immediate family member, relatives, business partners, or employers that would benefit financially from the Committee's recommendations. The DFO must report any required disclosures under this paragraph to the BLM Deputy Ethics Counselor, who will coordinate with the Departments of the Interior or Agriculture Ethics Offices as appropriate.

The Department of the Interior will provide materials to those members appointed as special Government employees, explaining their ethical obligations with which the members should be familiar. Consistent with the ethics requirements, members will endeavor to avoid any actions that would cause the public to question the integrity of the Committee's operations, activities, or advice. The provisions of this paragraph do not affect any other statutory or regulatory ethical obligations to which a member may be subject.

- 14. SUBCOMMITTEES:** Subject to the DFO's approval, subcommittees may be formed for the purposes of compiling information or conducting research. However, such subcommittees must act only under the direction of the DFO and must report their recommendations to the full Committee for consideration. Subcommittees must not provide advice or work products directly to the Agency. Subcommittees will meet as necessary to accomplish their assignments, subject to the approval of the DFO and the availability of resources.
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**U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

**STATE OF UTAH  
GRAND STAIRCASE-ESCALANTE NATIONAL MONUMENT  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**CHARTER**

- 1. OFFICIAL DESIGNATION:** Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Advisory Committee (Committee).
- 2. AUTHORITY:** The Committee is a discretionary advisory committee established under Section 309 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA), as amended (43 U.S.C. 1739). The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is subject to standards and procedures for the creation, operation, and termination of BLM resource advisory councils. Refer to the 1995 amended BLM regulations (43 CFR 1784) for specific regulations regarding avoidance of conflicts of interest (1784.2-2); calls for nominations (1784.4-1); notice of meetings (1784.4-2); open meetings (1784.4-3); records (1784.5-3); course of instruction for members (1784.6-1(f)); and quorum requirements (1784.6-1(h)). The Committee is regulated by the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended, 5 U.S.C. Appendix 2.
- 3. OBJECTIVES AND SCOPE OF ACTIVITIES:** The Committee will advise the Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) on science and other management issues and the achievement of Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Management Plan (Management Plan) objectives.
- 4. DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES:** Committee duties and responsibilities are as follows:
  - a. To develop recommendations for the Monument on issues pertaining to science and other management issues, and the achievement of objectives set forth in the Management Plan.
  - b. Specifically, the Committee may be requested by the Designated Federal Officer (DFO) to:
    - (1) gather and analyze information, conduct studies and field examinations, seek public input, or ascertain facts to develop recommendations concerning the use and management of the Monument;
    - (2) review programmatic documents including the annual Monument Manager's Reports, Quarterly Division Reports, and Monument Science Plans to provide recommendations on the achievement of the Management Plan objectives;

- (3) compile monitoring data and assess and advise the DFO of the extent to which the Plan objectives are being met;
- (4) make recommendations on Monument protocols and applicable planning projects to ensure the overall objectives are being met;
- (5) review appropriate research proposals and make recommendations on project necessity and validity;
- (6) make recommendations regarding allocation of research funds through review of research and project proposals as well as needs identified through the evaluation process;
- (7) consult and make recommendations on issues such as protocols for specific projects, e.g., vegetation restoration methods or standards for excavation and curation of artifacts and objects; and/or
- (8) prepare an annual report summarizing the Committee's activities and accomplishments of the past year and make recommendations for future needs and activities.

5. **OFFICIAL TO WHOM THE COMMITTEE REPORTS:** The Committee provides advice to the Secretary through the DFO.
6. **SUPPORT:** Administrative support and funding for activities of the Committee will be provided by BLM.
7. **ESTIMATED ANNUAL OPERATING COSTS AND STAFF YEARS:** The annual operating costs associated with supporting the Committee's activities are estimated to be \$20,000, including all direct and indirect expenses and .15 Federal staff years support.
8. **DESIGNATED FEDERAL OFFICER:** The DFO is BLM's Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Manager who is a full-time Federal employee appointed in accordance with Agency procedures. The DFO will approve or call all Committee and subcommittee meetings, prepare and approve all meeting agendas, attend all Committee and subcommittee meetings, adjourn any meeting when the DFO determines adjournment to be in the public interest, and chair meetings when directed to do so by the Secretary.
9. **ESTIMATED NUMBER AND FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS:** The Committee will meet approximately two to four times annually and at such other times as designated by the DFO.
10. **DURATION:** Continuing.

**11. TERMINATION:** The Committee will terminate 2 years from the date the Charter is filed, unless, prior to that date, the Charter is renewed in accordance with Section 14 of the FACA. The Committee will not meet or take any action without a valid current charter.

**12. MEMBERSHIP AND DESIGNATION:**

a. Eight members will be appointed as follows, one from each of the categories listed below:

- (1) an elected official from Garfield County, to represent the interests of county residents;
- (2) an elected official from Kane County, to represent the interests of county residents;
- (3) a representative of state government;
- (4) a representative of tribal government with ancestral interest in the Monument;
- (5) an educator, to represent the educational community;
- (6) a representative of the environmental community;
- (7) an outfitter and guide operating within the Monument, to represent commercial recreational users; and
- (8) a livestock grazing permittee operating within the Monument, to represent grazing permittees.

b. Seven members will be appointed as special Government employees, one for each of the following areas of expertise:

- (1) archaeology
- (2) paleontology
- (3) geology
- (4) botany
- (5) wildlife biology
- (6) social science
- (7) systems ecology

c. Members will be appointed to the Committee to serve 3-year terms.

d. Members appointed as special Government employees are required to complete annual ethics training and may be required to file a confidential financial disclosure report.

- 13. ETHICS RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS:** No Committee or subcommittee member will participate in any matter including a lease, license, permit, contract, claim, agreement, or related litigation with the Department in which the member has a direct financial interest.

As provided in 43 CFR 1784.2-2, members of the Committee shall be required to disclose their direct or indirect interest in leases, licenses, permits, contracts, or claims that involve lands or resources administered by BLM, or in any litigation related thereto. For the purpose of this paragraph, indirect interest includes holdings of a spouse or dependent child.

The Department of the Interior will provide materials to members appointed as special Government employees explaining their ethical obligations. Consistent with the ethics requirements, members will endeavor to avoid any actions that would cause the public to question the integrity of the Committee's operations, activities, or advice. The provisions of this paragraph do not affect any other statutory or regulatory ethical obligations to which a member may be subject.

- 14. SUBCOMMITTEES:** Subject to the DFO's approval, subcommittees may be formed for the purposes of compiling information and conducting research. However, such subcommittees must act only under the direction of the DFO and must report their recommendations to the full Committee for consideration. Subcommittees must not provide advice or work products directly to the Agency. The Committee Chair, with the approval of the DFO, will appoint subcommittee members. Subcommittees will meet as necessary to accomplish their assignments, subject to the approval of the DFO and the availability of resources.
- 15. RECORDKEEPING:** The Records of the Committee, and formally and informally established subcommittees of the Committee, shall be handled in accordance with General Record Schedule 6.2, and other approved Agency records disposition schedule. These records shall be available for public inspection and copying, subject to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

  
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Secretary of the Interior

JAN 19 2016

Date

Date Charter Filed

**Bears Ears National Monument**  
Monument Advisory Committee Call for Nominations  
Communication Plan  
Bureau of Land Management – Utah  
January 12, 2017

## **INTRODUCTION**

The President of the United States Barack Obama designated the Bears Ears National Monument on Dec. 28, 2016. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and the US Forest Service (USFS) serve as co-managers of the monument. The Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee is a new committee, called for in the Dec. 28, 2017 Presidential proclamation establishing the Monument. BLM-Utah is recruiting for members to fill 12 positions. BLM-Utah will begin recruiting new members to help advise on the development of a management plan for the Bear Ears National Monument, per the Presidential Proclamation.

## **PURPOSE**

The purpose is to recruit committee members and establish the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee.

## **COMMUNICATION GOALS**

- Share information on vacancies with all Committee interest groups.
- Build constituent group awareness about the work of the Committee and the opportunities for the public to become involved.

## **KEY AUDIENCES**

- The public
- Local, state, and federal government organizations
- Tribes
- Local communities (Monticello, Blanding, Bluff, Cortez, Dove Creek, Montezuma Creek)
- Special interest groups
- Other stakeholders
- Nonprofit organizations
- Media – (primary local media outlets include: San Juan Record, Durango Herald, Cortez Journal, KSJD Radio, Four Corners Free Press)
- Industry –energy, grazing, mining
- OHV users and other recreationalists (climbing, mountain biking, rock art/archaeology/paleontology groups)

## KEY MESSAGES

- Members of the public are needed to fill terms in each of the Committee's representative group;
- Applicants must have knowledge or expertise in the fields they seek to represent and have knowledge of the geography, issues, and resources of the Bears Ears region;
- Applications are due 45 days from the date the vacancy announcement is published in the *Federal Register*;
- Applications are available by contacting the Canyon Country District Manager Lance Porter (435) 259-2100 or e-mail [l50porte@blm.gov](mailto:l50porte@blm.gov);
- BLM managers listen closely to the recommendations and priorities presented by advisory committees; and
- The Committee represents a broad range of constituents who are interested in the management of the Bears Ears National Monument.

## OUTREACH/TIMING (All outreach actions will occur within the week following publication of the vacancy announcement in the *Federal Register*).

- The *Federal Register* coordinator Lola Bird will inform managers when the *Federal Register* notice is published.
- The Canyon Country District Manager will contact key constituents in the local area to notify them of the vacancies and encourage them to recommend applicants.
- A news release will be distributed to news media mailing list statewide.
- A news release will be posted on the BLM-Utah website and shared on social media.
- An announcement will be sent to local government and key contacts for the interest groups to be represented on the Committee.

## CONTACT INFORMATION (Preliminary List of Stakeholders/Interested Parties, Jan. 12 ver.)

Affiliation	Group	Contact Name	Contact Info
Co Manager/US Forest Service	Manti La Sal National Forest	Mark (Brian) Pentecost, Forest Supervisor	435 635 3536 <a href="mailto:bpentecost@fs.fed.us">bpentecost@fs.fed.us</a>
Co Manager/US Forest Service	Manti La Sal National Forest	Mike Diem, Manti La Sal District Ranger	Phone: (435) 259 7155 Email: <a href="mailto:mdiem@fs.fed.us">mdiem@fs.fed.us</a>
Co Manager/US Forest Service	USFS Region 4	Marla Trollan, Communication s Director	Phone: (801) 625 5347 Email: <a href="mailto:mtrollan@fs.fed.us">mtrollan@fs.fed.us</a>
Co Manager/US Forest Service	Manti La Sal National Forest	Rosann Fillmore, Public Affairs Specialist	<a href="mailto:rdfillmore@fs.fed.us">rdfillmore@fs.fed.us</a> p: 435 636 3525, c: 435 650 4149
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County Government	San Juan County	Bruce Adams	435 459 1351 <a href="mailto:bbadams@sanjuancounty.org">bbadams@sanjuancounty.org</a>
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County Government	Grand County	Chris Baird, BLM liaison	<a href="mailto:cbaIRD@grandcountyutah.net">cbaIRD@grandcountyutah.net</a> (435) 259 1342
County Government	San Juan County	Sheriff Eldredge	(435) 459 2323
Local Government	City of Blanding	Mayor Calvin Balch	Phone: (435) 678 2791 Email: <a href="mailto:mayormail@blanding.ut.gov">mayormail@blanding.ut.gov</a>
Local Government	City of Monticello	Mayor Tim Young	435 587 2271, Email through city website form: <a href="http://www.monticelloutah.org/Contact.aspx">http://www.monticelloutah.org/Contact.aspx</a>
Local Government	City of Montezuma Creek	<i>placeholder</i>	
Local Government	City of Mexican Hat	<i>placeholder</i>	
Federal Government	National Park Service	Kate Cannon	<a href="mailto:kate_cannon@nps.gov">kate_cannon@nps.gov</a> (435) 719 2101
Federal Government	Bureau of Indian Affairs	<i>Placeholder</i>	
Federal Government	Advisory Council on Historic Preservation	Nancy Brown	<i>Need to double check, may be new appointee</i>
Tribes	The Hopi Tribe	Herman G. Honanie, Chairman	Phone: (928)734 3000 <a href="mailto:HeHonanie@hopi.nsn.us">HeHonanie@hopi.nsn.us</a>
Tribes	The Hopi Tribe	Leigh Kuwanwisiwma , Hopi Culture Preservation	The Hopi Tribe PO Box 123 Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039

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Tribes	White Mesa, Ute Council	Elaine Cantsee, Councilwoman	Phone: (435)678 3658
Tribes	Ute Mountain Ute Tribe	Terry Knight, Historic Preservation Director	Phone: (970)565 3751 ext. 727 Email: tknight@utemountain.org
Tribes	Navajo Nation	Russell Begaye, President	Phone: (928)871 6352 russellbegaye@navajo nsn.us
Tribes	Navajo Nation	Tamara Billie, Acting Program Manager Navajo Nation Historic Preservation Department	Phone: (928)871 6438
Tribes	Navajo Nation	Tiffany Bah Charley, Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission	Phone: 928.871.7436 Email: tcharley@navajo nsn.gov
Tribes	Pueblo of Zuni	Zal Panteah Sr., Governor	Phone: (505)782 7022 Email: zal.panteah@ashiwi.org
Tribes	Pueblo of Zuni	Kurt Dongoske, Director and Tribal Historic Preservation Officer	Phone: (505)782 4814 Email: kdongoske@cableone.net
Tribes	Pueblo of Acoma	Kurt Riley, Governor	Phone: (505)552 6604 Email: email Ass't: Francine Roivio, Attn: Kurt Riley at administration@puebloofacoma.org
Tribes	Pueblo of Acoma	Damian Garcia, Director Historic Preservation Office	Phone: (505)552 5127 Email: email Ass't: Francine Roivio, Attn: Damian Garcia at administration@puebloofacoma.org
Tribes	Pueblo of Zia	Brent Schildt, Governor	135 Capital Square Drive Zia Pueblo, NM 87053
Tribes	Pueblo of Zia	Celestino Gachupin, Cultural Resources Director	135 Capital Square Drive Zia Pueblo, NM 87053
Tribes	Pueblo of Santa Clara	J. Michael Chavarria, Governor	PO Box 580 Espanola, NM 87532

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Tribes	Jemez Pueblo	Joseph A. Toya, Governor	PO Box 100 Jemez Pueblo, NM 87024
Tribes	Jemez Pueblo	Christopher Toya, Cultural Preservation Manager	PO Box 100 Jemez Pueblo, NM 87024
Tribes	Pueblo of Laguna	Virgil Siow, Governor	PO Box 194 Laguna Pueblo, NM 87026
Tribes	Pueblo of Laguna	Gaylord Siow, Cultural Resources	PO Box 194 Laguna Pueblo, NM 87026
Tribes	Utah Tribal Leaders Association	Virgil Jonson	
Tribes	Ute Indian Tribe (Uintah & Ouray Reservation)	Shaun Chapoose, Chairman	Phone: 435 722 5141 Email: <a href="mailto:shaunc@utetribe.com">shaunc@utetribe.com</a> ( <i>need to confirm this is correct email</i> )
Tribes	Ute Indian Tribe (Uintah & Ouray Reservation)	Betsy Chapoose, Office of Cultural Rights and Protection	Phone: 435 725 4824 Email: <a href="mailto:betsyc@utetribe.com">betsyc@utetribe.com</a>
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Tribes	Navajo Utah Commission	Stephanie Holly, Administration	Phone: 435 651 3508 <a href="mailto:sholly@navajo.nsn.gov">sholly@navajo.nsn.gov</a>
Tribes	Dine Bikeyah	<i>Placeholder if needed, may be covered with contacts above</i>	
Tribes	Bears Ears Tribal Coalition	<i>Placeholder if needed, may be covered with contacts above</i>	
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Interested Stakeholders Science	Utah Friends of Paleontology	Martha Hayden,	<a href="mailto:info@utahpaleo.org">info@utahpaleo.org</a>
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	Sierra Club	Kay McLean	<a href="mailto:Mclean777@gmail.com">Mclean777@gmail.com</a> (435) 259 6199

Interested Stakeholders Environmental	Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance	Steve Bloch	<a href="mailto:steve@suwa.org">steve@suwa.org</a> (801) 428 3981
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance	Neal Clark	<a href="mailto:neal@suwa.org">neal@suwa.org</a> (435) 259 7090
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	The Nature Conservancy	Sue Bellagamba	<a href="mailto:sbellagamba@tnc.org">sbellagamba@tnc.org</a> (435) 259 4629
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	The Wilderness Society	Nada Culver	<a href="mailto:Nada.Culver@tws.org">Nada.Culver@tws.org</a> (303) 225 4635
Interested Stakeholders Recreation/Visitor Services	National Parks Conservation Association	David Nimkin	<a href="mailto:dnimkin@npca.org">dnimkin@npca.org</a>
Interested Stakeholders Recreation/Visitor Services Stakeholders	National Parks Conservation Association	Erika Pollard	<a href="mailto:epollard@npca.org">epollard@npca.org</a> o: 801.521.0785   c: 801.834.3457
Interested Stakeholders Recreation/Visitor Services	Public Land Solutions	Ashley Korenblat	<a href="mailto:ashley@publiclandsolutions.org">ashley@publiclandsolutions.org</a> 801.910.3205
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	Great Old Broads for Wilderness	Carrie King (replaced Rose Chilcoat)	<a href="mailto:carrie@greatoldbroads.org">carrie@greatoldbroads.org</a>
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	The Grand Canyon Trust	Bill Hedden	Phone: (928) 774 7488 Email: <a href="mailto:bheden@grandcanyontrust.org">bheden@grandcanyontrust.org</a>
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	The Nature Conservancy	Dave Livermore	Phone: (801) 531 0999
Interested Stakeholders Environmental	Colorado Plateau Archaeological Alliance	Jerry Spangler, Executive Director	Phone: (801) 392 2646
Interested Stakeholders Science	Utah Rock Art Research Association	Richard Jenkinson, President	Phone: (435) 260 0918 Email: <a href="mailto:rcjenkinson@yahoo.com">rcjenkinson@yahoo.com</a>
Interested Stakeholders Science	National Trust for Historic Preservation	Stephanie Meeks, President	Phone: (202) 588 6082 Email: <a href="mailto:smeeks@savingplaces.org">smeeks@savingplaces.org</a>
Interested Stakeholders Science	Utah Statewide Archaeological Society	Heidi Essex, President	Email: <a href="mailto:usasnewsletter@gmail.com">usasnewsletter@gmail.com</a>
Interested Stakeholders Science	Utah Professional Archaeological Council	Tim Riley, President	Phone: (435) 613 5290 Email: <a href="mailto:tim.riley@usu.edu">tim.riley@usu.edu</a>
Interested Stakeholders Environmental, Recreation/Visitor Services	Friends of Cedar Mesa	Josh Ewing	801 410 0773 <a href="mailto:josh@cedarmesafriends.org">josh@cedarmesafriends.org</a>
Interested Stakeholders motorized recreation	SPEAR	Larry Sorrell, President; Jon Fellmeth, Secretary Treasurer	<a href="mailto:dbltee@citlink.net">dbltee@citlink.net</a> <a href="mailto:webmaster@spear4all.com">webmaster@spear4all.com</a>
Interested Stakeholders Recreation/Visitor Services Stakeholders	Access Fund	Katie Goodwin Public Lands Associate	<a href="mailto:katie@accessfund.org">katie@accessfund.org</a> 303 545 6772

Interested Stakeholders motorized recreation	Blue Ribbon Coalition	Marin Hackworth, Executive Director; Ric Foster, Public Lands Dept. Mngr	<i>Sharetrails.org/BRC Offi</i>
Interested Stakeholders Recreation/Visitor Services	Friends of Indian Creek	Lisa Hathaway, President	<a href="mailto:info@friendsofindiancreek.org">info@friendsofindiancreek.org</a>
Interested Stakeholders Recreation/Visitor Services	Access Fund	Katie Goodwin Public Lands Associate	<a href="mailto:katie@accessfund.org">katie@accessfund.org</a> 303 545 6772
Stakeholders or Interested Parties	Private Land Owner adjacent properties	Heidi Redd	<a href="mailto:cowgirlheidi@hotmail.com">cowgirlheidi@hotmail.com</a> 801 111 1111 salt lake campaign number, Don may have better local number
Stakeholders or Interested Parties	Private Land Owner inholdings and adjacent properties	<i>Need to create this list</i>	
Interested Stakeholders	Hunter/Sportsman s Groups ie Back Country Horseman, Mule Deer Foundation, Backcountry Hunters & Anglers, etc.	<i>Need to create this list</i>	
Grazing Permittees	<i>Mailing List at Monticello FO</i>		
Special Recreation Use Permittees	<i>Mailing List at Monticello FO</i>		

## Briefing Paper

### **1. State Office**

Utah State Office

### **2. What is the title of this notice?**

Call for Nominations for the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee, Utah.

### **3. What are the key issues raised by the underlying decision documents for this notice?**

There are no underlying decision documents relating to the establishment and call for the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee.

### **4. Who are the primary users affected by or parties interested in the underlying decisions or actions? What are their concerns?**

The Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee was established to provide advice on the development of the National Monument's management plan as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument. Members represent an array of stakeholder interests in the land and resources from within the local area and statewide.

### **5. Is tribal consultation appropriate under E.O. 13175?**

Consultation is not required. Local Tribal groups will be encouraged to recommend nominees to represent their interests on the Committee.

### **6. Will this notice be controversial?**

Yes.

### **7. What will the underlying decision or action change?**

This is a new resource advisory committee mandated by Presidential Proclamation. BLM Utah is recruiting for members to fill 12 positions. These actions will create a new advisory committee and increase the opportunity for community involvement.

### **8. Will this notice need Communications Materials, e.g., a press release, Communications Plan? If so, enclose these materials with the notice package submitted.**

Outreach has already begun at the District level. The call for nominations will be publicized in the local media, County government offices, civic groups, and the District website. A communication plan and draft press release are included.

### **9. What are the reasons for the timing of the notice and the consequence, if any, of delaying or cancelling the release?**

The BLM Canyon Country District is eager to begin recruiting for new Committee members and convene the group to begin collaborating on the development of the Monument management plan, as called for in the Presidential Proclamation.

**10. How has this been analyzed under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)?**

Analysis in accordance with NEPA is not required.

**11. Is there any additional pertinent, descriptive information that reviewers need to know or would increase understanding?**

The Presidential Proclamation calling for the establishment of this Committee is included.

**12. List the names and positions of the people who have prepared, reviewed, and approved the notice and the underlying decisions and documents.**

Ed Roberson, Utah State Director, Utah State Office  
Gary Torres, Acting Associate State Director, Utah State Office  
Robin Croft, External Affairs Chief, Utah State Office  
Tyler Ashcroft, Bear Ears Project Manager, Utah State Office  
Lola Bird, Public Affairs Specialist, Utah State Office  
Kim Finch, Public Affairs Specialist, Utah State Office  
Phyllis Seitts, National Advisory Committee Coordinator

**13. Authorizing signature of State Office or Center Budget Officer, or Washington Office Resource Advisor certifying that the cost code on the Federal Register notice is accurate and valid.**

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(signature)

(print name and date)



Purdy, Mark &lt;mpurdy@blm.gov&gt;

**Fwd: FRN for Bears Ears and the need for material from you all.**

1 message

**Murphy, Timothy** <timothy.murphy@sol.doi.gov>

Tue, Jan 17, 2017 at 1:57 PM

To: "Triebisch, Margaret" &lt;margaret\_triebsch@ios.doi.gov&gt;, Shane Wolfe &lt;shane\_wolfe@ios.doi.gov&gt;

Cc: "Whitlock, Jenna" &lt;jwhitloc@blm.gov&gt;, Jennifer Heindl &lt;jennifer.heindl@sol.doi.gov&gt;, Mark Purdy &lt;mpurdy@blm.gov&gt;

Thanks for forwarding the edited versions. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED].

Thanks again,

-Tim

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From: **Triebisch, Margaret** <margaret\_triebsch@ios.doi.gov>

Date: Tue, Jan 17, 2017 at 12:58 PM

Subject: Re: FRN for Bears Ears and the need for material from you all.

To: "Whitlock, Jenna" &lt;jwhitloc@blm.gov&gt;

Cc: "Murphy, Timothy" &lt;timothy.murphy@sol.doi.gov&gt;, Jennifer Heindl &lt;jennifer.heindl@sol.doi.gov&gt;, Mark Purdy &lt;mpurdy@blm.gov&gt;

Here are the revised FR Notices and Charters that Tim and I discussed this morning.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,  
Margaret

On Tue, Jan 17, 2017 at 12:49 PM, Whitlock, Jenna &lt;jwhitloc@blm.gov&gt; wrote:

Hi all I'm available to talk. 208 3801. Thanks. j

On Tue, Jan 17, 2017 at 9:41 AM, Murphy, Timothy &lt;timothy.murphy@sol.doi.gov&gt; wrote:

Hi Jenna,

Margaret and I have some questions about the charter and FR notice. Can we meet for a few minutes? We are actually gathering now.

Thanks,  
Tim

On Mon, Jan 16, 2017 at 12:10 PM, Whitlock, Jenna &lt;jwhitloc@blm.gov&gt; wrote:

That is a safe assumption [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Thanks. j

On Mon, Jan 16, 2017 at 12:08 PM, Timothy Murphy &lt;timothy.murphy@sol.doi.gov&gt; wrote:

Hi Jenna,

We will try to get to this first thing. Is it safe to assume [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]?

Thanks,  
Tim

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 16, 2017, at 8:56 AM, Whitlock, Jenna &lt;jwhitloc@blm.gov&gt; wrote:

FYI this is in your DTS queue it's #1408. Any assistance moving it along is appreciated. Thanks. j

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From: **Seitts, Phyllis** <pseitts@blm.gov>  
Date: Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 3:00 PM  
Subject: Re: FRN for Bears Ears and the need for material from you all.  
To: "Ashcroft, Tyler" <tashcrof@blm.gov>  
Cc: "Purdy, Mark" <mpurdy@blm.gov>, Jenna Whitlock <jwhitloc@blm.gov>, "Senio, Ian" <isenio@blm.gov>, Charles Yudson <cyudson@blm.gov>, Jeff Krauss <jkrauss@blm.gov>, Lola Bird <lbird@blm.gov>, Kimberly Finch <kfinch@blm.gov>

All - attached is a draft Federal Register Notice. I spoke with Exec Sec and they didn't feel Forest Service needed to be involved in the drafting of the FRN because it is really a call for nominations for an advisory committee BLM will maintain. Pursuant to their guidance I included a sentence which spoke to Committee's USDA/DOI duties. So Tyler I would recommend that in the spirit of agency cooperation you provide a draft copy to the FS; however, we are up against a wall for time and our DOI SOL will most likely decide how this reads.

Twinkle

Twinkle Thompson  
BLM Office of Communications  
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On Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 2:10 PM, Ashcroft, Tyler <tashcrof@blm.gov> wrote:  
All,

I am assuming that if there is a need to coordinate with the Forest Service on the press release and other federal register package documents, it will occur at the WO level.

On Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 12:01 PM, Seitts, Phyllis <pseitts@blm.gov> wrote:  
Thank you Tyler and Lola and I also need a briefing paper - template attached.

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On Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 1:51 PM, Ashcroft, Tyler <tashcrof@blm.gov> wrote:  
Thanks, Mark.

Lola Bird, BLM-Utah public affairs specialist is working on the press release and communication plan. She will send them to you as soon as they are prepared.

Kind regards,

On Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 10:56 AM, Purdy, Mark <mpurdy@blm.gov> wrote:  
Tyler,

Please draft the news release as Twinkle requested. The Washington Office will then review your draft materials.

Thanks,  
Mark

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**Mark Purdy**  
Regulatory Affairs (WO 630)  
Bureau of Land Management

Washington, D.C.  
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On Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 12:47 PM, Purdy, Mark <mpurdy@blm.gov> wrote:

Hi Twinkle,

Here's the plan as it stands now for putting together the two Federal Register notice packages:

1. When I receive the FR notices from you I'll provide a copy to Public Affairs so they can put together the news releases. It's my understanding that WO Public Affairs will handle that. I'm confirming with Jeff on that.
2. I'll create a shortened DTS routing to expedite the review. The offices that we'll need to include in the DTS review are SOL, Public Affairs, WO-600, WO-100, and Exec Sec. It may help speed up the process if management reaches out to the Lands SOL office to have them keep an eye out for these priority FR notices that will be coming through DTS. It would also be helpful to know who the point person is in WO-100 who will facilitate that office's review.
3. Once the package has cleared WO-100, we'll inform Exec Sec that these packages are on their way for final review.

I'll be out of the office tomorrow but Charles Yudson will be here in Regulatory Affairs to assist.

Thanks,

Mark

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On Thu, Jan 12, 2017 at 12:19 PM, Seitts, Phyllis <pseitts@blm.gov> wrote:

Tyler: I need your help please for the FR package for Bears Ears.. Could you provide Mark Purdy, who is copied and in BLM regs shop, with a cost code for the FRN; he also needs RAC Communication Plan (I have attached a template); a

Briefing paper (I have attached a template). If you could get him this material ASAP, it would be appreciated. He will not be in tomorrow.

Thanks very much.

Twinkle

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#### 4 attachments

-  **2017 DRAFT Charter, Gold Butte National Monument Advisory Committee w DGL edits, 01 17 17.docx**  
38K
-  **2017 Draft NOI Gold Butte MAC FRN w DGL and ExSec edits, 01 17 17.doc**  
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-  **2017 Draft NOI Bears Ears MAC FRN with DGL and ExSec edits, 01 17 17.doc**  
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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

**STATE OF UTAH  
GRAND STAIRCASE-ESCALANTE NATIONAL MONUMENT  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**CHARTER**

- 1. OFFICIAL DESIGNATION:** Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Advisory Committee (Committee).
- 2. AUTHORITY:** The Committee is a discretionary advisory committee established under Section 309 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA), as amended (43 U.S.C. 1739). The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is subject to standards and procedures for the creation, operation, and termination of BLM resource advisory councils. Refer to the 1995 amended BLM regulations (43 CFR 1784) for specific regulations regarding avoidance of conflicts of interest (1784.2-2); calls for nominations (1784.4-1); notice of meetings (1784.4-2); open meetings (1784.4-3); records (1784.5-3); course of instruction for members (1784.6-1(f)); and quorum requirements (1784.6-1(h)). The Committee is regulated by the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended, 5 U.S.C. Appendix 2.
- 3. OBJECTIVES AND SCOPE OF ACTIVITIES:** The Committee will advise the Secretary of the Interior (Secretary) on science and other management issues and the achievement of Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Management Plan (Management Plan) objectives.
- 4. DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES:** Committee duties and responsibilities are as follows:
  - a. To develop recommendations for the Monument on issues pertaining to science and other management issues, and the achievement of objectives set forth in the Management Plan.
  - b. Specifically, the Committee may be requested by the Designated Federal Officer (DFO) to:
    - (1) gather and analyze information, conduct studies and field examinations, seek public input, or ascertain facts to develop recommendations concerning the use and management of the Monument;
    - (2) review programmatic documents including the annual Monument Manager's Reports, Quarterly Division Reports, and Monument Science Plans to provide recommendations on the achievement of the Management Plan objectives;

- (3) compile monitoring data and assess and advise the DFO of the extent to which the Plan objectives are being met;
- (4) make recommendations on Monument protocols and applicable planning projects to ensure the overall objectives are being met;
- (5) review appropriate research proposals and make recommendations on project necessity and validity;
- (6) make recommendations regarding allocation of research funds through review of research and project proposals as well as needs identified through the evaluation process;
- (7) consult and make recommendations on issues such as protocols for specific projects, e.g., vegetation restoration methods or standards for excavation and curation of artifacts and objects; and/or
- (8) prepare an annual report summarizing the Committee's activities and accomplishments of the past year and make recommendations for future needs and activities.

5. **OFFICIAL TO WHOM THE COMMITTEE REPORTS:** The Committee provides advice to the Secretary through the DFO.
6. **SUPPORT:** Administrative support and funding for activities of the Committee will be provided by BLM.
7. **ESTIMATED ANNUAL OPERATING COSTS AND STAFF YEARS:** The annual operating costs associated with supporting the Committee's activities are estimated to be \$20,000, including all direct and indirect expenses and .15 Federal staff years support.
8. **DESIGNATED FEDERAL OFFICER:** The DFO is BLM's Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Manager who is a full-time Federal employee appointed in accordance with Agency procedures. The DFO will approve or call all Committee and subcommittee meetings, prepare and approve all meeting agendas, attend all Committee and subcommittee meetings, adjourn any meeting when the DFO determines adjournment to be in the public interest, and chair meetings when directed to do so by the Secretary.
9. **ESTIMATED NUMBER AND FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS:** The Committee will meet approximately two to four times annually and at such other times as designated by the DFO.
10. **DURATION:** Continuing.

**11. TERMINATION:** The Committee will terminate 2 years from the date the Charter is filed, unless, prior to that date, the Charter is renewed in accordance with Section 14 of the FACA. The Committee will not meet or take any action without a valid current charter.

**12. MEMBERSHIP AND DESIGNATION:**

a. Eight members will be appointed as follows, one from each of the categories listed below:

- (1) an elected official from Garfield County, to represent the interests of county residents;
- (2) an elected official from Kane County, to represent the interests of county residents;
- (3) a representative of state government;
- (4) a representative of tribal government with ancestral interest in the Monument;
- (5) an educator, to represent the educational community;
- (6) a representative of the environmental community;
- (7) an outfitter and guide operating within the Monument, to represent commercial recreational users; and
- (8) a livestock grazing permittee operating within the Monument, to represent grazing permittees.

b. Seven members will be appointed as special Government employees, one for each of the following areas of expertise:

- (1) archaeology
- (2) paleontology
- (3) geology
- (4) botany
- (5) wildlife biology
- (6) social science
- (7) systems ecology

c. Members will be appointed to the Committee to serve 3-year terms.

d. Members appointed as special Government employees are required to complete annual ethics training and may be required to file a confidential financial disclosure report.

- 13. ETHICS RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS:** No Committee or subcommittee member will participate in any matter including a lease, license, permit, contract, claim, agreement, or related litigation with the Department in which the member has a direct financial interest.

As provided in 43 CFR 1784.2-2, members of the Committee shall be required to disclose their direct or indirect interest in leases, licenses, permits, contracts, or claims that involve lands or resources administered by BLM, or in any litigation related thereto. For the purpose of this paragraph, indirect interest includes holdings of a spouse or dependent child.

The Department of the Interior will provide materials to members appointed as special Government employees explaining their ethical obligations. Consistent with the ethics requirements, members will endeavor to avoid any actions that would cause the public to question the integrity of the Committee's operations, activities, or advice. The provisions of this paragraph do not affect any other statutory or regulatory ethical obligations to which a member may be subject.

- 14. SUBCOMMITTEES:** Subject to the DFO's approval, subcommittees may be formed for the purposes of compiling information and conducting research. However, such subcommittees must act only under the direction of the DFO and must report their recommendations to the full Committee for consideration. Subcommittees must not provide advice or work products directly to the Agency. The Committee Chair, with the approval of the DFO, will appoint subcommittee members. Subcommittees will meet as necessary to accomplish their assignments, subject to the approval of the DFO and the availability of resources.
- 15. RECORDKEEPING:** The Records of the Committee, and formally and informally established subcommittees of the Committee, shall be handled in accordance with General Record Schedule 6.2, and other approved Agency records disposition schedule. These records shall be available for public inspection and copying, subject to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

  
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Secretary of the Interior

JAN 19 2016

Date

Date Charter Filed

## Briefing Paper

### **1. State Office**

Utah State Office

### **2. What is the title of this notice?**

Call for Nominations for the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee, Utah.

### **3. What are the key issues raised by the underlying decision documents for this notice?**

There are no underlying decision documents relating to the establishment and call for the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee.

### **4. Who are the primary users affected by or parties interested in the underlying decisions or actions? What are their concerns?**

The Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee was established to provide advice on the development of the National Monument's management plan as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument. Members represent an array of stakeholder interests in the land and resources from within the local area and statewide.

### **5. Is tribal consultation appropriate under E.O. 13175?**

Consultation is not required. Local Tribal groups will be encouraged to recommend nominees to represent their interests on the Committee.

### **6. Will this notice be controversial?**

Yes.

### **7. What will the underlying decision or action change?**

This is a new resource advisory committee mandated by Presidential Proclamation. BLM Utah is recruiting for members to fill 12 positions. These actions will create a new advisory committee and increase the opportunity for community involvement.

### **8. Will this notice need Communications Materials, e.g., a press release, Communications Plan? If so, enclose these materials with the notice package submitted.**

Outreach has already begun at the District level. The call for nominations will be publicized in the local media, County government offices, civic groups, and the District website. A communication plan and draft press release are included.

### **9. What are the reasons for the timing of the notice and the consequence, if any, of delaying or cancelling the release?**

The BLM Canyon Country District is eager to begin recruiting for new Committee members and convene the group to begin collaborating on the development of the Monument management plan, as called for in the Presidential Proclamation.

**10. How has this been analyzed under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)?**

Analysis in accordance with NEPA is not required.

**11. Is there any additional pertinent, descriptive information that reviewers need to know or would increase understanding?**

The Presidential Proclamation calling for the establishment of this Committee is included.

**12. List the names and positions of the people who have prepared, reviewed, and approved the notice and the underlying decisions and documents.**

Ed Roberson, Utah State Director, Utah State Office  
Gary Torres, Acting Associate State Director, Utah State Office  
Robin Croft, External Affairs Chief, Utah State Office  
Tyler Ashcroft, Bear Ears Project Manager, Utah State Office  
Lola Bird, Public Affairs Specialist, Utah State Office  
Kim Finch, Public Affairs Specialist, Utah State Office  
Phyllis Seitts, National Advisory Committee Coordinator

**13. Authorizing signature of State Office or Center Budget Officer, or Washington Office Resource Advisor certifying that the cost code on the Federal Register notice is accurate and valid.**

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(signature)

(print name and date)

**Bears Ears National Monument**  
Monument Advisory Committee Call for Nominations  
Communication Plan  
Bureau of Land Management – Utah  
January 12, 2017

## **INTRODUCTION**

The President of the United States Barack Obama designated the Bears Ears National Monument on Dec. 28, 2016. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and the US Forest Service (USFS) serve as co-managers of the monument. The Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee is a new committee, called for in the Dec. 28, 2017 Presidential proclamation establishing the Monument. BLM-Utah is recruiting for members to fill 12 positions. BLM-Utah will begin recruiting new members to help advise on the development of a management plan for the Bear Ears National Monument, per the Presidential Proclamation.

## **PURPOSE**

The purpose is to recruit committee members and establish the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee.

## **COMMUNICATION GOALS**

- Share information on vacancies with all Committee interest groups.
- Build constituent group awareness about the work of the Committee and the opportunities for the public to become involved.

## **KEY AUDIENCES**

- The public
- Local, state, and federal government organizations
- Tribes
- Local communities (Monticello, Blanding, Bluff, Cortez, Dove Creek, Montezuma Creek)
- Special interest groups
- Other stakeholders
- Nonprofit organizations
- Media – (primary local media outlets include: San Juan Record, Durango Herald, Cortez Journal, KSJD Radio, Four Corners Free Press)
- Industry –energy, grazing, mining
- OHV users and other recreationalists (climbing, mountain biking, rock art/archaeology/paleontology groups)

## KEY MESSAGES

- Members of the public are needed to fill terms in each of the Committee's representative group;
- Applicants must have knowledge or expertise in the fields they seek to represent and have knowledge of the geography, issues, and resources of the Bears Ears region;
- Applications are due 45 days from the date the vacancy announcement is published in the *Federal Register*;
- Applications are available by contacting the Canyon Country District Manager Lance Porter (435) 259-2100 or e-mail [l50porte@blm.gov](mailto:l50porte@blm.gov);
- BLM managers listen closely to the recommendations and priorities presented by advisory committees; and
- The Committee represents a broad range of constituents who are interested in the management of the Bears Ears National Monument.

**OUTREACH/TIMING** (All outreach actions will occur within the week following publication of the vacancy announcement in the *Federal Register*).

- The *Federal Register* coordinator Lola Bird will inform managers when the *Federal Register* notice is published.
- The Canyon Country District Manager will contact key constituents in the local area to notify them of the vacancies and encourage them to recommend applicants.
- A news release will be distributed to news media mailing list statewide.
- A news release will be posted on the BLM-Utah website and shared on social media.
- An announcement will be sent to local government and key contacts for the interest groups to be represented on the Committee.

**CONTACT INFORMATION (Preliminary List of Stakeholders/Interested Parties, Jan. 12 ver.)**

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Interested Stakeholders Recreation/Visitor Services	Access Fund	Katie Goodwin Public Lands Associate	<a href="mailto:katie@accessfund.org">katie@accessfund.org</a> 303 545 6772
Stakeholders or Interested Parties	Private Land Owner adjacent properties	Heidi Redd	<a href="mailto:cowgirlheidi@hotmail.com">cowgirlheidi@hotmail.com</a> 801 111 1111 salt lake campaign number, Don may have better local number
Stakeholders or Interested Parties	Private Land Owner inholdings and adjacent properties	<i>Need to create this list</i>	
Interested Stakeholders	Hunter/Sportsman s Groups ie Back Country Horseman, Mule Deer Foundation, Backcountry Hunters & Anglers, etc.	<i>Need to create this list</i>	
Grazing Permittees	<i>Mailing List at Monticello FO</i>		
Special Recreation Use Permittees	<i>Mailing List at Monticello FO</i>		

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

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**Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee Establishment; Call for  
Nominations, Utah**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) gives notice that the Secretary of the Interior is establishing the Bears Ears National Monument (Monument) Advisory Committee (Committee). This notice also solicits nominations for members of the public to sit on the Committee. The Committee will provide information and advice regarding the development of the Monument's management plan and, as appropriate, management of the Monument to the Secretary of the Interior, through the Director of BLM, and the Secretary of Agriculture, through the Chief of the U.S. Forest Service, as stated in the Presidential Proclamation establishing the Monument.

**DATES:** All nominations must be received by [INSERT DATE 45 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

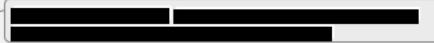
**ADDRESS:** Nominations should be submitted to Lance Porter, BLM Canyon Country District Manager, 82 Dogwood Avenue, Moab, Utah 84532, Attention: Bears Ears Nominations.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lance Porter, BLM Canyon Country

District Manager, 435 259 2100. Persons who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service at 1 800 877 8339 to contact the above individual during normal business hours. The Service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the above individual. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA; 43 U.S.C. §§ 1701 *et seq.*), directs the Secretary of the Interior to involve the public in planning and issues related to management of lands administered by the BLM. The rules governing BLM Advisory Committees are found at 43 CFR subpart 1784. As required by the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Advisory Committee membership must be balanced and representative of the various interests concerned with the management of the public lands. [The Committee will be composed of 12 members: 1 elected official from San Juan County; 1 member representing State government; 1 member with paleontological expertise; 1 member with archaeological and historic expertise; 1 member representing the environmental community; 1 member representing the livestock grazing permittees within the Monument; 1 public at large member; 1 member representing tribal interests; 2 members representing developed outdoor recreation, off highway vehicle users, or commercial recreation activities; 1 member representing local business owners; and 1 member representing private landowners. Individuals may nominate themselves or others. [The BLM will evaluate nominees based on their education, training, experience, and/or knowledge of the geographic area of the Monument.

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Nominees should demonstrate a commitment to collaborative resource decision making.

The following must accompany all nominations:

- Letters of reference from represented interests or organizations
- A completed background information nomination form; and
- Any other information that addresses the nominee's qualifications.

Simultaneous with this notice, the BLM Canyon Country District Office will issue a press release providing additional information for submitting nominations, with the specifics about the number and categories of member positions available.

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**CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:** In accordance with the Presidential Proclamation, I certify that the Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the Secretary's responsibilities to manage the lands,

resources and facilities administered by the BLM.

(Authority: 43 CFR 1784.4 1)

Sally Jewell  
Secretary of the Interior

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